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Town Hall Meeting

READING, PA – August 18, 2014 – The City of Reading will host a Town Hall Meeting on August 20 at 5:30 PM at the Schmidt Training & Technology Center at Reading Area Community College, open to all residents.

The PFM Group, the City's Act 47 advisors, will be at The Town Hall Meeting together with the City's administration to inform residents of current City issues and update them on the proposed 2015 Budget and financial projections for the next five years as the City works toward the Act 47 Recovery Plan.

Public participation is a critical component to the process of examining the City's financial short-term objectives in the 2015 budget and addressing long-term objectives in the Five-Year Plan.

"This town hall meeting was designed to communicate to the community the actions that the City's Administration is taking to keep Reading fiscally solvent," said Mayor Vaughn D. Spencer. "It is the City's goal to not only communicate with its residents about the budget, but also be as transparent as possible to ensure that residents are aware of what decisions are being made regarding the City's finances."

For more information, please call the Mayor's office at 610.655.6304.

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